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Terror in the Democratic Backwoods County—Contested Election Case of Atkinson vs. Pendleton—District Affairs in Congress.

Ru Special Wire from the Coultot.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Chandler presented a petition from Union County, Aik., representing that, at the State election there in September, 1888, a systematic reign af terror prevailed; that armed molts paraded the county night and day, terrorizing whites and shooting and whipping colored yaters, that schools whipping colored voters; that schools and churches had been demoralized and ballot-boxes carried off, and asking for the protection guaranteed by the Con-

Mr. Harris inquired of Mr. Chandler whether the statement which he was making was such a "brief statement" as the rule contemplated in the presentation of petitions, and added that it was in direct violation of the

Mr. Chandler replied that he was not reading the petition, but was reading from as condensed a statement as he could make in justice to the petitioners.

Mr. Harris desired the ruling of the

chair on the question.

Mr. Berry asked Mr. Chandler whether he had himself prepared the statement he was making.

Mr. Chandler replied that he had written it himself.

Mr. Berry—I thought so It is not a petition, but a collection of rot and statement in the statement of the statem

filth which the Senator has collected

Mr. Chandler—It is a statement, which I make on my own responsibility, of the substance of the petition. It was prepared by myself. Mr. Harris again called on the Chair

The Vice-President-The statement has been made by the Senator from New Hampshire that the brief which he has prepared is a condensed statement of the petition. The Chair is of the opinion that the Senator has the right to complete the

reading of the paper.

Mr. Berry—If it comes from the Senator himself I do not think it can lajure either the State of Arkansas or its peo-ple. Therefore I have no objection. The statement was then completed and the petition referred.

Mr. Evarts called up his resolu-tion declaring it competent for the Senate to cleet a President pro-tem., who shall hold the office during the pleasure of the Senate and until auother is elected, and who shall execute the duties thereof when the Vice-President was absent.

The resolution was briefly discussed, and, at the suggession of Mr. George, who is opposed to it, went over until to-morrow.

The credentials of Mr. Wilson of Maryland, for the new Senatorial term ere presented and placed on file. Business on the calendar was then taken up, and twenty-six pension and private bills were passed. Mr. Pasco introduced in the Senate

to day a bill incorporating the Atlan-tic, Mexican, Gulf and Missis-sippi River Barge Canal Com-pany. The company is to be granted permission to construct and maintain a barge canal and telegraph and telephone lines from a point on the Mississippi River, at or near New Orleans, through Lake Borgene or Lake Ponchartrain and all over the open waters of the inland coast of the Gulf of Mexico to a point at or near St. Mark's Flat, thence to such a point on the Atlantic Ocean between the 29th

and 31st degrees of north latitude as shall be determined by the company.

The company is to issue 100,000 shares of stock of \$100 each, twenty-five of which is to be pair with the original subscription.

ersonal liability of a stockholder to be limited to the amount of his stock.

A right of way 150 yards on either side of the line of the canal is granted together, with permission to take material for construction from the adjacent public land.

Congress is to have the power to alter or amend the act at any time.
At 2 o'clock the Educational bill was taken up, and Mr. Reagan proceeded to address the Senate.

District Legislation.

Senator Ingalls, at the request of the Medical Society of the District of Columbia, presented the following bill: That after its passage it shall be the ity of every registered ticing physician or other persons prescribing for the sick in the District of Columbia to make reports to the Health Officer in forms furnished by the officer, im-mediately such petitioner becomes aware of the existence of any case of scarlet fever or of diphtheria in his charge, and if such person shall fail to so report within twenty-four hours, he shall be subject to a penalty of not less than, or more than, \$20, or in lieu thereof, shall suffer imprisonment for not less than one or more than three days In case no physician shall be in charge of such patient, the person in attendance shall make the report or suffer the same penalty as provided for

The bill also directs the Health Officer to cause a placard, flag or warning sign to be displayed on the premises on which the patient is confined. Another petition in favor of a Sunday rest bill for the District of Columbia

and for the Territories was presented to the Senate to-day. Senator Higgins presented it by request. It was from the members of the West Presbyterian Church at Wilmington, Del.

Senator Faulkner introduced a bill in the Senate which provides for the establishment of a terminal railestablishment of a terminal rail-road transfer system in Washington Georgetown. The passage this bill will enable passengers to be transferred from one road to another without paying an additional fare. All the lines in the District come under its jurisdiction.

Two amendments to the House Dis-trict of Columbia Appropriation bill were introduced in the Senate to-day by Senator Faulkner. The first provides for the opening and grading of Sixteenth street extended from Florida avenue north. The sum of \$30,000 is appropriated for this purpose and the Commissioners of the District are empowered to con-demn the property needed for this par-The second amendment pro vides for the removing of the stand-pipe from this street and for the substitution of the Holly system of water supply for this street and for the district west of the east line of Sixteenth street. For this the bill appro-

priates \$10,000. Mr. Ingalls introduced in the Senate to day a bill to prevent the spread of diphtheria and scarlet fever in the District of Columbia. The bill provides regulations to be observed by physicians and health officers.

House Proceedings,

District of West Virginia, called up. It was sgreed that six nours' debate should be allowed, after

which the previous question is to be considered as ordered. The Urgent Deficiency bill was reported to the House to-day by Mr. Hen derson of Iowa. It appropriates \$23,650,213 to make up for deficiencies in the appropriations for this and previous years, to be available for service during the fiscal year ending June 30,

Capitol Gossip. One of the most notable features at the House of Representatives at yesterday's session was the absence of Congressmen from New York and Chicago, and many remarks were passed around in consequence. The only members from the former city to be seen were Spinola and Cummings, and of the latter, nobody. Rumor had it that the Chicago, paged 46. Chicago people did not wake up after their night's jubilee until after Con-gress adjourned, while the members from New York, with the two excep-

strolling around the lobbies yesterday afternoon with a spring overcoat on his arm, and some heartless fellow said that the little Colonel was inquiring whether New York received any votes for the fair. But the men he inquired of were from Chicago, and they are recognition. from Chicago, and they answered him 'New York? Let me see. Why,

where is New York?" Friends of the metropolis that received such an inglorious defeat in the fight on

Monday are consoling themselves in all manner of ways, while the Chicago people stand off and smile in a most tantalizing manner.

Dame Gossip gave it out in the lob-bies yesterday afternoon that Chicago is just \$100,000 poorer than she was on Sunday night.

"What caused New York's defeat?" thought it would be well to prohibit the commissioners from voting by proxy.

"Twenty-four Republicans from the "Twenty-four Republicans from t

New England and Eastern States, and one Democrat from Boston, all of the Southern Republicans and nearly all of Texas voted for Chicago. This is what defeated New York."

It was authoritatively stated that Colonel Thomas Ochiltree, the gilt-edged Texan-New Yorker, made a dead set against New York as the site for the World's Fair. The brilliant haired gentleman was discovered in Congress on the outside of the little gilt willing. on the outside of the little gitt ralling while the voting was going on, surround ed by Congressmen. He was saying: "Now, gentlemen, in giving New York the World's Fair you are giving only so much more power to Tammany Hall, which means untold injury to the Republican party in the State.

It was heard, as coming from a New York politician in the rotunda yester-day evening, that If the New York Representatives had saved the money they spent on the banquet last fall and given it to the "guerrillas," they might have had more chance of getting the Fair. It was not explained what was meant by "guerrilla" or how such an African animal could have helped mat-

One of the jolliest men connected in any way with the House is tall and blue eyed with good-natured wrinkles radia-ting from the corners of his eyes like the rays of a setting sun. His chin beard is tinged with gray and his hair is a mass of ringlets. This is Mr. T. B. Snyder, messenger on the Democratic

The happiest-looking man in Congress is Frank Lawler of Chicago. The soberest looking is—well, all of the New Yorkers.

PAN-AMERICANS DINE

Mr. Andrew Carnegie's Banquet a most The banquet given last evening by Mr. Andrew Carnegie at the Arlington to the Pan-Americans was in point of floral decorations what the host in-tended it should be, the most elaborate ever given in Washington, which as a city is justly celebrated throughout the Union for the magnificence of the dinners official and private given here a few others insisted that they

during the course of the season.

Small was given carte blanche in the matter, and the result was a scene of beauty which will long be remembered by every guest present. The walls of the octagonal-shaped room were completely covered with ferns, ivy leaves inight, it is likely the Mayor led a might, it is likely the Mayor led a might, it is likely the Mayor led a might. and fan palms imbedded in moss. At the end of the room facing the door a buffet of carved oak was banked with ferns, above which on the wall were two silk flags of the Union crossed among the palms, while on either side were massive groupings of tropical The corridor opening out from the dining-room, and through which the guests passed on entering, was deco-rated with growing plants in a similar

A unique centrepiece to the immense circular table, about which sat fifty guests, was a four leaf clover formed of maiden's hair fern, with a gracefully curved stem of darker green in ivy leaves. From the middle of this rose a great cluster of long stemmed Magna Charta roses. The spaces between the leaves of the clover were filled in with plats alternately of white and yellow ulips, beyond which a deep band of plush was bordered with dark-green ivy leaves, from between which peeped sprays of lilies of the valley studded at regular intervals with clusters of Ulrich Bruner roses, surrounded with white heather. Boutonnieres were of pink and white heather and orchids,

Cadets as Prize Fighters, NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A World special from West Point says Cadets Cassett and Lawton, members of the fourth class at the Military Academy, fought Mon-day night for six rounds, regular prizering rules. In the last round Casset was knocked out, and has since been laid up in the hospital. His injuries are not serious, however. Lawton's face is badly bruised. The fight grew out of an insulting remark made by Cassett two months ago.

Polygamy and Mormonism. OTTAWA, ONT., Feb. 26.-Senator MacDonald last night asked permission to withdraw his bill making polygamy and Mormonism a crime, as the Government intended to incorporate the pro-visions of his bill in a bill having the same objects in view now before the

Prisoners Half Suffocated, VANCOUVER, WASH., Feb. 26,-The county court house, which was also used as a jull, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Five prisoners bad narrow escapes, three of them being half suffocated. The deputy sheriff jumped from a second-story window and was badly The aggregate loss will reach

7:10 p. m., arriving in Philadeldhia at 10:55 p. m. WHAT CHICAGO WILL DO A party of business men, composed principally of members of the Phila-delphia Produce Exchange, but in-cluding also representatives of all

day."

and were at once driven to the Ebbitt House, where they, will be

quet whenever we feel so disposed, but it is seldom that all the members will consent to abandon busi-

ness for two or three days. For this reason I believe the present move a wise

and pleasant substitute for a mere ban-

propriate remarks. The party will attend Albaugh's Theatre this evening,

Taylor and P. S. Dooner. The object of their visit was to invite

NORTH DAKOTA'S BLUNDER.

Every Measure Passed by Its Legisla ture Said to be Illegal.

constitution, which said that the Leg-islature should convene for the purpose

regular work and proceeded as in regu

A further mistake was made when the

William S. Warner Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26,-William S

Warner, who was interested in the op-erations of Grant & Ward, and claimed

to be a creditor of the firm to the ex-

tent of \$3,000,000, and who was accused

of wrongfully receiving the firm's funds, died yesterday in England, where he had been living for some time. He had successfully defended various suits brought against him by the assignee of

the firm. There were rumors at the time of the failure that he had made

several million dollars by his connec-

Heavy Snow Storms.

road are completely blocked by the

drifting snow. Several work train are stuck, and the men refuse to face the

New Railroad Terminus.

Messrs. Austin Herr, H. P. Gilbert, J. D. Meigs and A. B. Cropley, repre-senting the stockholders of the Wash-ington and Western Maryland Railroad

Company, Called upon the District

Commissioners this morning to ask

their approval of the proposed terminus

Ballet in West Virginia,

State Senate yesterday defeated the Australian ballot reform bill. The

Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Feb. 26.—Arizona, from Liverpool; Rugia, from Hamburg; Suevia,

from Hamburg; Ems, from Bremen; An choria, from Glasgow; Bothnia, from Liv

Telegraphic Sparks.

By a supposed incendiary fire last night the barns of G. H. Bell, at East Aurora, N.

Y., were burned, with fifty head of cattle and four horses.

George Clark, convicted as one of the nurderers of William McCausiand, the

murderers of William McCaustand, the Alleghany City drover, was hanged at Waynesburg, Pa., to-day.

While workmen were tearing down the old building known as the Everett House,

at Locust and Fourth streets, St. Louis, this morning, the walls fell in, slightly in-juring two of the men.

A suit has been begun at Chicago by James H. Montgomery, president of the Montgomery Palace Stock Car Company, against Street's Stable Car Line for \$3,000,

Robbers took \$1,000 from the safe of C

Henderson's store, at Dougherty, L. T., on Monday, and robbed the clerks of their

The Normation St. Petersburg has caused a sensation by attacking Austria for increasing her army, which it says is a menace to the peace of Europe.

It is semi-officially announced that the

result of the recent election for members of the German Reichstag has delayed Prince

Three cars of a passenger train, on the Providence Line of the Old Colony Railroad, were overturned yesterday near West Chester Park, Mass, but all the passengers escaped injury except Lizzie Denny and T. P. Sweeney, who were cut and bruised.

The official announcement is made at Paris of the acceptance by the Frenck gov-ernment of the invitation to send repre-sentatives to the approaching Berlin Inter-national labor conference.

The will of the John Jacob Astor, filed in New York to-day, bequeaths \$450,000 to the Astor Library, \$100,000 each to the New York Caneer Hospital and St. Luke's Hospital, \$50,000 to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, \$30,000 each to Alexander Hamilton and James Simons, bis cousin, and all the rest to his cousin, and all the

is cousin, and all the rest to his son and

Villiam Steinway of New York has writ

ten a letter to Otto Young of Chicago, chairman of the sub-finance committee on the World's Fair in 1892, subscribing \$20,000 to the capital stock of the Fair.

The verdict of the Coroner's jury in the Sawtelle murder case at Great Falls, N. II., declares that Illram Sawtelle came to his death by reason of bullet wounds in ficted by Isaac Sawtelle.

Popular Route to New York.

000 damages, for alleged infringement.

money and watches.

Hismarck's resignation.

Legislature will adjourn to-day.

erpool.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 26.—The

blinding storm at any price.

OGDEN, UTAH, Feb. 26 .- Heavy snow storms are reported north and west of here. The Oregon Short Line from Grange to Pocatello, and the entire length of the Utah and Northern Rail-

tion with the firm.

Now it is neither special nor

resident Harrison to attend the annual

agreeable and profitable one.

HER DESIRES IN THE WORLD'S FAIR MATTER EXPLAINED.

Consideration of the Site Bill in the Committee — What Congressman Mills Has to Say About the Nega-

TBy Special Wire to The Critic-T

The World's Fair Committee of

The World's Fair Committee of the House discussed Chicago as a site for the World's Fair to-day. The general bill was taken up by the Commission and amended by inserting the name Chicago and then referred to a sub-committee consisting of Messrs Candler, Hitt and Springer for perfection, The sub-committee was directed to report a full bill that will cover the desires of the Chicago people. Mr. Hitt explained to the Committee what the Chicago people desired. He their night's jubilee until after Congress adjourned, while the members from New York, with the two exceptions mentioned, could not nerve themselves up to sufficient moral courage to face the Chicago members, and were simply waiting until the edge wore off of the gossip before putting in an appearance.

Merriman from New York was seen strolling around the lobbies vesterday.

Mr. Hitt explained to the Committee what the Chicago people desired. He stated that Chicago and the State of Illinois were willing to conform to any changes that might be made in the bill in the House. Concern.ag the Government appropriation of \$1,500-000 provided for in the bill, Mr. Hitt said that the representatives of Chicago had not asked for this, and they were willing to abide by any reduction in the deal that might be made.

There seemed to be a disposition on the deal that might be made. There seemed to be a disposition on the part of the opponents of Chicago, a site for the fair and of the opponents to the holding of the exposition, to cut out this appropriation. The Chicago people would be perfectly willing to agree to this. If it were accomplished the fair that the transfer of the complete that the transfer of the complete the comp plished, the fact that the money pledged to Chicago had been secured under a corporation chartered by the State of Illinois, should, said Mr. Hitt, be recognized. The fair itself the represen tatives of Chicago preferred to hold under a national character.

Concerning the commission of one hundred, Mr. Hitt said that it was preferred that half of its members should be nominated by the Governor of Tili-nois and half by the Mayor of Chicago, to be appointed by the President. It was also preferred that the two commissioners from each State should be of the two political parties. Mr. Hitt thought it would be well to prohibit

Government appropriation. Before taking any action on this matter he thought it would be well to ascertain just how much money is needed, and then make the appropria-

tion conform to that.

Mr. Springer offered a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish the committee with an esti-mate of the cost of the buildings necessary for the Government exhibits, the cost of placing the exhibits in the buildings, and the cost of their care and safe return to places where they This resolution was passed and the committee adjourned.

They Will Simply Vote "No." Representative Mills of Texas, who has been regarded as the head of the opposition in the House to any World's Fair, said that he and the others opposed to the fair would content themselves with voting "No" when the bill came before the House for final passage. He said further that the bill would, in his

opinion, unquestionably pass the House. Mr. Candler, chairman of the Special Committee, has no doubt but the bill Committee, has no doubt but the bill will pass the House without trouble. The New York delegation will support Chicago now as heartily as they would have expected Chicago to support New York had that city won. The "New York or nowhere" cry of Colonel Shepard in the Mail and Express finds no echo here. The general drift of the best opinion is that the bill will, pass the Senate is that the bill will, pass the Senate without needless delay and that will be accepted as the Chicago site. The Senators, with their accustomed diplomacy and dignity, decline to discuss a matter which is not before

The Chicago men last night had a lively time among themselves. It was over the route by which they should return to the metropolis of the in-land seas. The delegation had come by the Baltimore and Ohio. They wanted to return by the Pennsylvania. Satisfactory arrangements could not be made a few others insisted that they got sea sick on the Baltimore and Ohio and held out for the other route The discussion was warm and prolonged, and while nority by the other road. The party left this morning.

ALL FROM PHILADELPHIA.

Delegations of Bright Youngsters and Solid Business Men.

A merry party of eighteen young boys and girls came down from Philadelphia this moraling, as the honored guests of Scata Claus, a juvenile 1 for having secured the most sub paper. tion premiums to February 1, and havig answered the four-prize question in Poet's Puzzle competition. The folowing is a list of them:

lowing is a list of them:

Mary Bockens, Laura F. Gioson, Annie C. Parry, Minnie H. Bonhall, Alice T. Mumford, Belle T. McClintock, Fannie C. Burton, Josephine Servin, Edith W. Zoheen, Marie E. Roland, Tillie Landis, Ellwood W. Roberts, R. Marshall Truitt, Fred G. Hunter, Wilbur Atkinson, Henry H. Mining, David L. Davidson, Louis G. Jenks, Eugene T. Harper, George K. Broadhead, Philip A. Sheaff, and H. Lyman Soyen.

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The patronesses and patrons who accompanied the party were: ompanied the party were:

Mrs. A. H. Fetter, wife of the president of Girard College; Mrs. James McAllister, wife of the superintendent of Philadelphia's public schools; Mrs. J. P. Mumford of the Philadelphia board of education, Miss Sallie Lang, Mrs. William B. Hanna, wife of Judge Hanna; Mrs. John Peddie Miss Anna H. Hall, Mr. E. M. Camp, Mr. E. W. Mumford, and a special artist for the day, Mr. H. E. Masten.

The party strived in a special Pull.

The party arrived in a special Pullman car at the Baltimore and Ohio depot at 11:15 o'clock and were driven about the city and to the various places of public interest. The first visit was to the Postoffice De partment, where a reception was given the party by Postmaster-General Wanamaker. They then visited in succession the National Museum, the Smithsonian Institute the Department of Agriculture, the Washington Monument, the White House, where a reception was given the party by the President at 1 o'clock; the War, Navy and State Departments and the Capitol, where private galleries

were reserved for them. At 5 o'clock the party will dine at the Ebbitt House, and during the evening there will be violin solos by Master L. Gustave Schmidt, and a performance The B. & O. express train service to New York has been established less than a year, but it is already the popular route to Phila-delphia, New York and New England. This is because of the excellence of its equipment and the punctuality of its trains. Miss Ellen Douglas Deland's In the House to-day, immediately after the reading of the journal, the contested election case of Atkings of the First of

IN WHITE AND GOLD

JULIAN AND LADY PAUNCE FOTE'S BRILLIANT DINNER.

the other prominent exchanges of that city and numbering 245 in all, arrived at the Pennsylvania Railroad station at 11 o'clock this morning. Vice-President and Mrs. Morton Going South-Lenten Dance-Teas and Dinner Parties-Informal Recep-tions-Visitors in the City.

Vice President and Mrs. Morton have changed their plans in regard to their Florida trip and will leave Saturday morning, March 1, at 11 o'clock, in-stantial of the Sth Instant, as at first intended. guests to day and to-morrow. The trip takes the place of the annual banquet, and one of the prominent members told a Carrie man that it was the almost unanimous opinion of the party that the innovation was a most Sir Julian and Lady Pauncefote gave 'We can get a good dinner any

a white and gold dinner at the legation last evening followed by a dancing re ception. Two large bowls of jonquils ornamented the table, which was lighted with wax tapers in gold and silver can-delabra capped with yellow shades. The courses were served on white and The courses were served on white and gold Saxony china. The dinner guests were Judge and Mrs. John Davis. Senator and Mrs. Hale, Admiral and Mrs. Franklin, the Columbian Minister and Madam Hurtado, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Newbold of Boston, Mrs. D. P. Morgan, Miss Jennie Sherrill, Miss Shortly before 1 o'clock the party formed in marching order in front of the Ebbitt House and proceeded to the Executive Mansion, where they were all introduced to the President by Congressman Charles O'Neill, who made a few ap-Story, General Beale, Mr. di Claparede M. Houstan, and Mavroyen Bey, Among the large number of guests present at the reception that followed the dinner were Colonel and Mrs. John and to-morrow will visit the numerous places in and about the city.

At noon a committee of the Hibernian Society of Philadelphia, accompanied by Representative Harmer, was introduced to the President by Postmaster General Wanamaker. The party consisted of State Senator Wm. McAleer, Thomas D. Ferguson, W. W. Hanna, John B. Combes Frank Mc. Hay, Count d'Arco Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Linden Kent, General and Mrs. Berdan, Mrs. Hobson, Representative and Mrs. Cabot Lodge, Professor Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riggs, Miss Clare Okie, Miss Leiter, Miss Stout, Miss Mitchell, Miss Cameron, Miss Nevins of New York, Mr. Edwardes, Mr. Spring Rice, the Belgian and Portugese Ministers. Mrs. D. P. Morgan will hold the last

John B. Combes, Frank Mc-Manus Thomas J. Powers, John Taylor and P. S. Dooner. of her series of teas this afternoon. Mrs. Frank Beach and Miss Beach will give a tea to morrow in honor of dinner of the society on St. Patrick's day. The ladles of the party were shown through the White House by the Postmaster-General. their guest, Miss Thompson of Phila-

Mrs. and Miss Boardman will give a

tea this afternoon. Mrs. J. Lowrie Bell is at home to her friends informally on Mondays during Lent. Mrc. Bell will probably take a house in Washington next season, but has not quite decided, as her personal NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A special from Bismarck, N. D., to the World says: The best parliamentarian in the Legispreference is to spend the winter at her former home at Chestnut Hill.

lature says every measure passed by that body is illegal. The ground for this startling proposition is in the organization of the Legislative Assembly.

The Governor convened the Legisla-Mrs. Charles Bispham will hold her first informal reception to morrow evening at 9 o'clock. Miss Jennings, whose clever letters in the New York Tribune are so well

ture on November 19, as provided in section 17 of the schedule of the State known, left yesterday for a week's stay at Atlantic City. Mr. and Mrs. James F. Barbour, ac companied by Mr. and Mrs. John Corson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones. have of electing two United States Senators. The said section says nothing about any other business than the election of gone to Old Point Comfort for a stay of several weeks.

Senators. The Legislature, however, after electing Senators took up its Miss Davidson is the guest of Mr and Mrs. Anthony Pollok. Miss Berry of Kentucky, who has been the guest of Representative and Mrs. Carlisle during the season, has gone to New York to attend the mar-Legislature met in January that it did not reorganize and enter upon a regular

rlage of a friend. Miss Green of Kentucky, who spent last winter here with Mrs. Carlisle, will soon arrive for a visit of several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Soule gave a dinner party Sunday evening to Mr. and Mrs. George Alfred Townsend who have been the guest for a number of weeks past of Mr. Frank Richardson. The table decorations were American beauty roses with corsage bouquets of Parma

wiolets. The guests to meet Mr. and
Mrs. Townsend were Mrs. De Ford
Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs.
Henderson, Mrs. Frye, Mr. Clarence
Bell and Mr. Frank Richardson.
Miss Mand Van Ness of New York, who has been spending the winter in this city with her sister, Mrs. Frank Barbarin, left on Monday for St. Augustine, Florida, where she will remain for some time with her uncle, Mr. Edward Van Ness of New York, at

the Alcazar Hotel. York opened their house on Monday evening upon the occasion of the first meeting of the Lenten Euchre Club, which will assemble each Monday evening at the residence of one of the members, of which there are twenty The playing lasted from 8:30 to 10:30, after which a light collation was served. The club will meet Monday vening, the 3d instant, at the residence

of Representative and Mrs. Outhwaite. The morganatic marriage of Duke learge of Mechlenburg Strelitz to Mile Athalie Wonhartsky, took place a week since in the chapel of the Anitschoif Palace, where the Emperor and Em-press were present. The consent of the Czar to the match was only obtained after long negotiations, at the close of which the bride-elect was created Countess Curloff.

Baltimore Knights Entertained. At the fair of Columbia Division Knights of Pythias, last night the ladies had charge of the entire room and they made the evening the most successful one of the week ladies presented a handsome silk flag to the Knights early in the evening. Later on the Pythias Division, No. 1, of Bal timore visited the fair in a body, and were tendered a banquet by the Columbia Division. The festivities were kept up to a late hour, when the visiting Knights left for home,

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued to Robert L. Alley and Catharine E. Friend, Robert L. Alley and Catharine E. Friend. Petersburg; Walter S. Chambers and Anna C. Turpin, Washington; Edward H. Law and Clara Espey, Washington; Michael Flemming and Kate Drury, Washington; William A. Page and Fannie Cooper, Washington; Casco J., Duke and Clara C. Godey, Pittsburg, Pa.; W. S. Welling and Mary N. Schooley, Howard County, Md.; Fred Burger and Ellen Taldy, Washington; Thomas E. Cobbell and Iola Giasco, Washington; William A. Shreve and Edith E. Cross, Washington. Cross, Washington.

Militia at the Range Some very good scores were made last night by the members of Company E. First Battalion (Washington Light Infantry.) The shooting was at the 300 and 600-yard ranges. The highest score was made by Private Baden, who made 19 at the 300-yard range and 17 at the 600-yard range. The next highest score was made by Private Leach, who made 18 points at each of the ranges. the ranges.

enza is a very mean thing to own; and the surest way to treat it is with Old Saul's Catarrh Cure, the simplest and safest rem-edy in the world. 25 cents.

In the Police Court Alfred Riggs, who struck Mary Harny, his sweetheart, and fired at Officer Cotton when he attempted to arrest him, was this morning fined \$5 for the former offence and sent to jail for six months for the latter A young man named Samuel G. Wal ke who was found yesterday in the room of the louse Committee on the Alcoholic Liqui fradic and could not explain his presen there, was given a bearing this afternoon. Several articles have recently been missed

Through Parlor Car to Old Point via Pennsylvania and Chesapcake and Ohio Railroads.

A through parlor car service will go into effect between Washington and Old Point on the 23d instant. Leaving Washington 10:57 a.m., arriving Old Point 6:10 p. m. Returning, arrive at Washington 3:30 p. m.

Death Notice. Gormandovan.—At 2:15 a. m. Wednes av. February 26, 1899, Priscilla Le Baro tolen, aged 62, wife of John Goldsborough ormerly of Easton, Tulbott County, Md. TROUBLE IN A CHURCH.

Iwo Rival Aspirants for the Pastorate I the Field.

A notice appeared in the Washington

Boe last Saturday stating that the Rev.

W. H. Pallips would probably succeed
the late William J. Walker as pastor of
the Shiloh Baptist Church. Several
members of the Church took exception to the remarks of the Box, and inserted notice in one of the papers denying

the report.
W. Calvin Chase was seen last night, and when questioned about the state-ment published in his paper, the Bee, said: "There are two factions in the said: "There are two factions in the church. One party wants the Rev. W. H. Philips for pastor, while the minority wants Mr. W. H. Scott to occupy the pulpit. The followers of Mr. Philips are in the lead and he is likely to be elected to the pastorate. The last notice that appeared, I think, is due entirely to jealousy on the part of the followers of Mr. Scott."

Mr. W. H. Scott and Deacon Brooks were found at the Shiloh Baptist Church, and when questioned about the notice said in substance that Mr. Chase is not a member of the congre-

Chase is not a member of the congregation, and knew nothing about the church. They deny that there is a split or that the congregation wants a new paster at present.

IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Mottons Heard and Important Cases Disposed Of.

Albert Wall was brought into the Criminal Court this morning on a bench warrant. Wall is charged on seven different informations with keeping unlicensed dogs. He was required to give new bonds and appear for trial later in

Frank De Neill, who has been confined in the county District jall, charged with the larceny of a gold watch and chain from a cab on Pennsylvania avenue, was released on his own recogni-zance. He maintains his innocence and

zance. He maintains his innocence and charges the crime to another person.

A plea of not guilty in the case of Joseph Sharter, charged with murder, withdrawn and a plea of guilty of manslaughter substituted. Shorter is the young colored boy who during a quarrel stabbed his companion with a fork. Sentence was deferred at the request of his attorney, General C. C. Carrington. Grace Smallwood, who was convicted last year of killing her child and senlast year of killing her child and sen-tenced to a term of ten years in the Albany penitentiary, has through the influence of her attorney, Judge Walker of Washington, been liberated, and is now in the hospital in

New York: It seems that her health has broken down completely.
Sarah Lewes and Kate Friday ap peared in court with the expectation that their motion for a new trial would be heard, but as their counsel, Campbell Carrington, was absent from the city

Sons of Benjamin Have a Ball. A musical entertainment and ball, under the auspices of District Lodge, No. 124, Independent Order of Sons of Benjamin, in aid of the sick and benficial fund, took place at Edel's Hall last night. The programme of the musical portion of the entertainment

the argument was continued until next

Saturday.

consisted of a piano solo by Miss L. Lieberman and songs and sketches by the Ideal Minstrel Troupe. The dancers then took possession of the floor and the merriment was kept up till a late hour. The members of the committee were: oses with corsage bouquets of Parma fiolets. The guests to meet Mr. and drs. Townsend were Mrs. De Ford Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Frye, Mr. Clarence Bell and Mr. Frank Richardson.

Miss Maud Van Ness of New York, who has been spending the winter in his city with her sister, Mrs. Frank Barbarin, left on Monday for St. Augustine, Florida, where she will remain for some time with her uncle, Mr. Edward Van Ness of New York, at the Alcazar Hotel.

Messrs. Samuel Glaser, J. Herzog, A. Burnstine, S. Schragenheim. M. Barnett, A. L. Saltzstein, jr., E. L. Stlebel, H. B. Laskey, A. Burnstine, William Garner, M. Barnett, S. Lewis, W. Horn, S. Cohen and H. Hirsh. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burnstine, Mr. Mr. And Mrs. A. Hecheimer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hecheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. Brickheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. Brickheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Cohen, Mr. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Cohen, Dr. and Mrs. Sol. Cohen, J. Peiser, Roseman, A. Burnstine, E. Heulein, M. Brick, Messrs, Samuel Glaser, J. Herzog, A.

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